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Application No. : 10/022,788 Confirmation No. 7127  
Applicant : Simon D. Byers  
Filed : December 17, 2001  
Group Art Unit : 2177  
Examiner : Susan F. Rayyan  
Docket No. : 2000-0609  
  
Title : Parallel Random Proxy Usage for Large Scale Web Access

Commissioner for Patents  
PO Box 1450  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450.

**AMENDMENT**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of July 9, 2004 please amend the above-identified application as follows.